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In the application of: :
Roe et al. : Confirmation No.: 9941
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Please charge the appeal fee of \$320.00, any processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17, and any other necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 16-2480 in the name of The Procter & Gamble Company, Patent Division. An additional copy of this Notice enclosed for that purpose.

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